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“DRAFT”
FIRST AMENDMENT
TO THE
JULY 1971 CLASSIFICATION AND CORRELATION
OF THE SOILS OF
VIGO COUNTY, INDIANA

MARCH 2005

This amendment results from digitizing the Vigo County Soil Survey, the update of the NASIS database, and conforming to the Keys to Soil Taxonomy, 9th Edition, 2003.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Page 6 - Addition

-Map Unit Symbol and Name: W - Water

Add the map unit symbol name "W - Water" for water areas less than 40 acres in size and water areas more than 40 acres in size.

Pages 7 to 10 – Replace the SIGNS and SYMBOLS LEGEND from the 1971 Correlation, with the attached Indiana Official 37A for Compilation, Digitizing, and DMF, Revised June 30, 2004.

Only the following standard soil survey features will be shown on the legend and placed on the digitized soil maps:

<u>Feature</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Description</u>
ESO	Escarpment, nonbedrock	A relatively continuous and steep slope or cliff, which generally is produced by erosion but can be produced by faulting, that breaks the continuity of more gently sloping land surfaces. Exposed earthy material is nonsoil or very shallow soil.
GPI	Gravel pit	An open excavation from which soil and underlying material have been removed and used, without crushing, as a source of sand or gravel. Typically 0.2 to 2 acres.
GRA	Gravelly spot	A spot where the surface layer has more than 35 percent, by volume, rock fragments that are mostly less than 3 inches in diameter in an area with less than 15 percent fragments. Typically 0.2 to 2 acres.
GUL	Gully	A small channel with steep sides cut by running water through which water ordinarily runs only after a rain, or after ice or snow melts. It generally is an obstacle to wheeled vehicles and is too deep to be obliterated by ordinary tillage.

<u>Feature</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Description</u>
LVS	Levee	An embankment that confines or controls water, especially one built along the banks of a river to prevent overflow of lowlands. Levees built according to COE standards.
MAR	Marsh or swamp	A water saturated, very poorly drained area, intermittently or permanently covered by water. Sedges, cattails, and rushes dominate marsh areas. Trees or shrubs dominate swamps. Typically 0.2 to 2 acres.
ROC	Rock outcrop	An exposure of bedrock at the surface of the earth. Not used where the named soils of the surrounding map unit are shallow over bedrock or where "Rock outcrop" is a named component of the map unit. Typically 0.2 to 2 acres.
SAN	Sandy spot	A spot where the surface layer is loamy fine sand or coarser in areas where the surface layer of the named soils in the surrounding map unit is very fine sandy loam or finer. Typically 0.2 to 2 acres.
ERO	Severely eroded spot	An area where on the average 75 percent or more of the original surface layer has been lost because of accelerated erosion. Not used in map units that are named severely eroded, very severely eroded, or gullied. Typically 0.2 to 2 acres.
WET	Wet spot	A somewhat poorly drained to very poorly drained area that is at least two drainage classes wetter than the named soils in the surrounding map unit. Typically 0.2 to 2 acres.

Only the following ad hoc features will be shown on the legend and placed on the digitized soil maps:

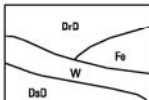
<u>Label</u>	<u>Symbol</u>	<u>ID</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Description</u>
UWT	44		Unclassified water	Small, natural or man-made lake, pond, or pit that contains water, of an unspecified nature, most of the year. Typically 0.2 to 2 acres.

FEATURE AND SYMBOL LEGEND FOR SOIL SURVEY

Soil Survey Area: _____

State: Indiana _____

DECEMBER 2004
Date: _____

DESCRIPTION	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOL
SOIL SURVEY FEATURES		CULTURAL FEATURES (Optional)		HYDROGRAPHIC FEATURES (Optional)	
SOIL DELINEATIONS AND LABELS		BOUNDARIES		Drainage end (indicates direction of flow)	
		National, state or province		Unclassified stream	
STANDARD LANDFORM AND MISCELLANEOUS SURFACE FEATURES		County or parish			
Bedrock escarpment		Minor civil division			
Nonbedrock escarpment		Reservation (Military)			
Gully		Land grant (Optional)			
Levee		Field sheet matchline and neatline			
Short steep slope		Public Land Survey System Section Corner Tics			
Blowout		GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATE TICK			
Borrow pit		ROAD EMBLEMS			
Clay spot		Interstate			
Closed depression		Federal			
Gravel pit		State			
Gravelly spot		LOCATED OBJECTS			
Landfill		Airport (Label only)		Davis Airport or Airstrip	
Marsh or swamp					
Mine or quarry					
Rock outcrop					
Sandy spot					
Severely eroded spot					
Sinkhole					
Slide or slip					
Spoil area					
Stony spot					
Very stony spot					
Wet spot					

AD HOC FEATURES (Describe on back)					
LABEL	SYMBOL ID	SYMBOL	LABEL	SYMBOL ID	SYMBOL
DCS	1		CRO	23	
DKS	2		WIA	24	
QVM	3		CGM	25	
VMS	4		HLL	26	
EAS	5		STO	27	
MAS	6		STO	28	
SAS	7		STO	29	
CAF	8		WUC	30	
CAL	9		WUC	31	
SLR	10		WUC	32	
DUM	11		WUC	33	
BRV	12		WUC	34	
BRW	13		WUC	35	
BRD	14		WUC	36	
OSR	15		WUC	37	
SSR	16		SAM	38	
LBR	17		SAM	39	
WCP	18		VSE	40	
SBR	19		VSE	41	
COB	20		VSE	42	
CNS	21		VSE	43	
FES	22		VSE	44	

Pages 13-14 – Replace the Classification of the Soils table with the following:

(An asterisk in the first column indicates a taxadjunct to the series.)

Soil name	Family or higher taxonomic class
Ade-----	Coarse-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Lamellic Argiudolls
Alford-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Ultic Hapludalfs
Armiesburg-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Fluventic Hapludolls
Ava-----	Fine-silty, mixed, active, mesic Oxyaquic Fragiudalfs
Ayrshire-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Aeric Endoaqualfs
Bartle-----	Fine-silty, mixed, active, mesic Aeric Fragiaqualfs
Bloomfield-----	Sandy, mixed, mesic Lamellic Hapludalfs
Camden-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
Cincinnati-----	Fine-silty, mixed, active, mesic Oxyaquic Fragiudalfs
Cory-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Mollic Endoaqualfs
Crane-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Aquic Argiudolls
Eel-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, nonacid, mesic Fluvaquentic Eutrudepts
Elston-----	Coarse-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Argiudolls
Fincastle-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aeric Epiaqualfs
Fox-----	Fine-loamy over sandy or sandy-skeletal, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
Genesee-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Fluventic Eutrudepts
Genesee Variant-----	Coarse-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Fluventic Eutrudepts
Hennepin-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Eutrudepts
Hickory-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
Iva-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aeric Endoaqualfs
Millsdale-----	Fine, mixed, active, mesic Typic Argiaquolls
Muren-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aquic Hapludalfs
Negley-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Paleudalfs
Parke-----	Fine-silty, mixed, active, mesic Ultic Hapludalfs
Petrolia-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, nonacid, mesic Fluvaquentic Endoaquepts
Princeton-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
Proctor-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls
Ragsdale-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiaquolls
Randolph-----	Fine, mixed, active, mesic Aeric Endoaqualfs
*Reesville-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aeric Endoaqualfs
Rensselaer-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiaquolls
Rodman-----	Sandy-skeletal, mixed, mesic Typic Hapludolls
Russell-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
Shoals-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, nonacid, mesic Fluventic Endoaquepts
Sloan-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Fluvaquentic Endoaquolls
Tippecanoe-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Oxyaquic Argiudolls
Vincennes-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, nonacid, mesic Typic Endoaquepts
Wakeland-----	Coarse-silty, mixed, superactive, nonacid, mesic Aeric Fluvaquents
Warsaw-----	Fine-loamy over sandy or sandy-skeletal, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls
Washtenaw-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, nonacid, mesic Aeric Fluvaquents
Westland-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiaquolls
Whitaker-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Aeric Endoaqualfs
Xenia-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aquic Hapludalfs
Zipp-----	Fine, mixed, active, nonacid, mesic Typic Endoaquepts

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